



Barbara Joan Ault

January 16, 1948 - April 15, 2024

Barbara Joan Ault, 76, of rural Akron, Indiana passed at 11:27 am, Monday, April 15, 2024 at Lutheran Kosciusko Hospital of Warsaw, Indiana.

Barb was born on Jan. 16, 1948 in Warsaw, Indiana to the late Lewis William and Betty (Dare) Hite. She married on March 6, 1965 to William Richard Ault, he survives. Barb was a homemaker and a farmer's wife. She assisted in all duties on the farm and later became the family babysitter for her grandkids. She loved her family and was very protective of them. She enjoyed having the family together, especially on Easter and Christmas. Her favorite thing was setting up the annual Easter egg hunt. If you stopped by to visit, she always enjoyed socializing at the table with a cup of coffee.

She is survived by her husband Dick Ault of Akron; daughters Cheryl Hiatt of Warsaw and Tammy and husband Doug Shively of Akron; grandchildren Brandon and wife Natasha Ault of Warsaw, Toni Shambaugh of Akron, Whitney and husband Jeremy Mack of Goshen; great grandchildren Galvin, Thad, Soleil, Lily, Isaiah, Kaizer and twins Roman and Nora Pohl; sisters Lella Holbrook of Warsaw and Suzanne Hyden of Mentone; and a brother Bob and Connie Hite of Akron.

Barb was preceded in death by her parents, sisters Betty Hite and Lois Ruth Poe, brother Sam Hite, Bill Hite, David Hite, and John Hite.

The funeral service will take place at 10:30 am, Friday, April 19, 2024 at Hartzler Funeral Home 305 West Rochester Street Akron, Indiana with Pastor Glen Hughes officiating.

The interment will take place following the service in the Palestine Cemetery, Palestine, Indiana.

Visitation hours will be from 4 pm to 8 pm, Thursday, April 18, 2024 at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, Indiana.

Memorial contributions can be made in her memory to help assist in her husband Dick's care.

Cemetery Details

Palestine Cemetery

State Road 25 South
Warsaw, IN 46580

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home
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P.O. Box 856
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Funeral Service

APR 19. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Barbara Joan Ault



Hartzler Funeral Services - April 17, 2024 at 06:31 PM



“ So sorry for everyone’s loss of Barb, we didn’t know. The family has always been in our thoughts and prayers.



Lisa Johnson - November 06, 2025 at 03:23 AM



“ Clayton Moudy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Joan Ault.

Clayton Moudy - April 17, 2024 at 07:47 PM



“ Clayton Moudy purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Barbara Joan Ault.



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“ The Lighthouse Church planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Joan Ault.

The Lighthouse Church - April 17, 2024 at 07:38 PM



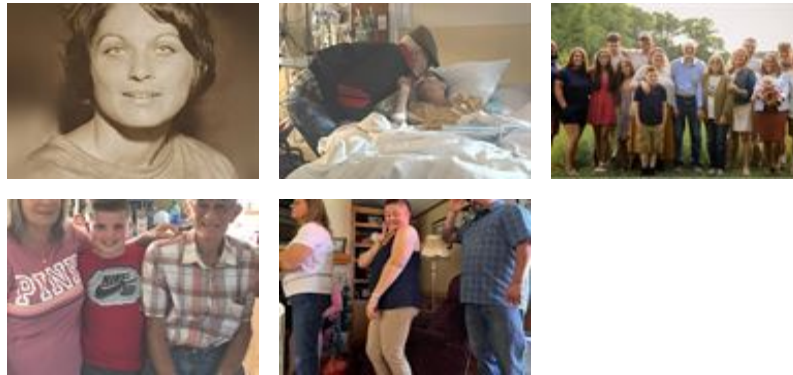
“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara Joan Ault.



April 17, 2024 at 07:38 PM



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Hartzler Funeral Services - April 17, 2024 at 06:30 PM

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“ Debi Craft lit a candle in memory of Barbara Joan Ault



Debi Craft - April 17, 2024 at 08:24 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Barbara Joan Ault.*



April 16, 2024 at 07:03 PM



“ *Barb was a wonderful person and will be truly missed by all, sending prayers for barb and her family, rip.*



Mark hoffman - April 16, 2024 at 04:21 PM



“ *Toni Shambaugh lit a candle in memory of Barbara Ault*



Toni Shambaugh - April 16, 2024 at 02:14 PM